



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: A8535

Joseph R. LAKOWICZ

Appln. No.: 10/073,625

Group Art Unit: 1634

Confirmation No.: 4325

Examiner: Chakrabarti, A.

Filed: February 11, 2002

For: RADIATIVE DECAY ENGINEERING

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below
(Small Entity fees apply):

	After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid, For					
All Claims	76	-	29	=	47	X	\$9.00 = \$423.00
Independent	4	-	14	=		X	\$42.00 = \$.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee							= \$140.00
					TOTAL		<u>\$563.00</u>

The USPTO is hereby directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee, in the amount of \$563.00, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Additionally, the USPTO is hereby directed and authorized to charge any additional required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 27, 2003. The examiner set a three month period for the response. Attached hereto and herein incorporated by reference is a Petition for a three-month extension of time, making the due date for response September 27, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages.

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